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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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AMARIN PHARMA, INC. and AMARIN
PHARMACEUTICALS IRELAND LIMITED,

Plaintiffs,

v.

HIKMA PHARMACEUTICALS USA INC.,
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JOINT STIPULATIONS OF FACT

I. INTRODUCTION

1. This is a civil action for patent infringement arising under the patent laws of the United States, 35 U.S.C. § 100, *et seq.*, including 35 U.S.C. § 271(e)(2), and the Declaratory Judgment Act, 28 U.S.C. §§ 2201 and 2202, arising from Defendants’¹ filing of Abbreviated New Drug Applications (“ANDAs”) under Section 505(j) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (“FDCA”), 21 U.S.C. § 355(j), seeking approval from the United States Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”) to market generic versions of Plaintiffs’² VASCEPA[®] product.

II. STIPULATED FACTS

For purposes of this case only, the parties stipulate to the following facts, which require no proof at trial:

A. THE PARTIES

2. Plaintiff Amarin Pharma, Inc. is a company organized and existing under the laws of Delaware with its principal place of business at 440 Route 22, Bridgewater, NJ 08807.

3. Plaintiff Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited is a company incorporated under the laws of Ireland with registered offices at 88 Harcourt Street, Dublin 2, Dublin, Ireland.

4. Defendant Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA Inc. is a company organized and existing under the laws of Delaware with its principal place of business at 246 Industrial Way West, Eatontown, NJ 07724.

¹ Defendants Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA Inc. and Hikma Pharmaceuticals International Limited (collectively, “Hikma”) and Defendants Dr. Reddy’s Laboratories, Inc. and Dr. Reddy’s Laboratories, Ltd. (collectively, “DRL”) (Hikma and DRL collectively, “Defendants”).

² Plaintiffs Amarin Pharma, Inc. and Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited (collectively, “Plaintiffs” or “Amarin”).

5. Defendant Hikma Pharmaceuticals International Limited is a company incorporated under the laws of the United Kingdom with registered offices at 1 New Burlington Place, London, England W1S 2HR.

6. Defendant Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Inc. is a company organized and existing under the laws of New Jersey with its principal place of business at 107 College Road East, Princeton, NJ 08540.

7. Defendant Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Ltd. is an Indian public limited liability company organized and existing under the laws of India and having a principal place of business at 8-2-337, Road No. 3, Banjara Hills, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh 500 034, India.

B. THE ASSERTED PATENTS

8. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited is the owner of the Asserted Patents.³

9. Each of the Asserted Patents is entitled "METHODS OF TREATING HYPERTRIGLYCERIDEMIA."

10. The U.S. Applications that ultimately issued as the Asserted Patents are continuations of U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, filed on February 9, 2010, which ultimately issued as U.S. Patent No. 8,293,727 ("the '727 Patent").

11. The Asserted Patents further claim priority to U.S. Provisional Application No. 61/151,291, filed on February 10, 2009, and U.S. Provisional Application No. 61/173,755, filed on April 29, 2009.

12. Mehar Manku, Ian Osterloh, Pierre Wicker, Rene Braeckman, and Paresh Soni are named as inventors of the Asserted Patents.

³ U.S. Patent No. 8,293,728 ("the '728 Patent"), U.S. Patent No. 8,318,715 ("the '715 Patent"), U.S. Patent No. 8,357,677 ("the '677 Patent"), U.S. Patent No. 8,367,652 ("the '652 Patent"), U.S. Patent No. 8,431,560 ("the '560 Patent"), and U.S. Patent No. 8,518,929 ("the '929 Patent")

13. Pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 355(b)(1), the Asserted Patents are listed in the Orange Book—published by FDA and formally known as *Approved Drug Products with Therapeutic Equivalence Evaluations*—in connection with New Drug Application (“NDA”) No. 202057.

1. The ’728 Patent

14. The PTO issued the ’728 Patent on October 23, 2012.

15. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited filed U.S. Application No. 13/349,153, which ultimately issued as the ’728 Patent, on January 12, 2012.

16. U.S. Application No. 13/349,153 is a continuation of U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, filed on February 9, 2010, now the ’727 Patent.

2. The ’715 Patent

17. The PTO issued the ’715 Patent on November 27, 2012.

18. The PTO issued a Certificate of Correction to the ’715 Patent on August 11, 2015.

19. The PTO issued a Certificate of Correction to the ’715 Patent on May 21, 2019.

20. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited filed U.S. Application No. 13/282,145, which ultimately issued as the ’715 Patent, on October 26, 2011.

21. U.S. Application No. 13/282,145 is a continuation of U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, filed on February 9, 2010, now the ’727 Patent.

3. The ’677 Patent

22. The PTO issued the ’677 Patent on January 22, 2013.

23. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited filed U.S. Application No. 13/608,775, which ultimately issued as the ’677 Patent, on September 10, 2012.

24. U.S. Application No. 13/608,775 is a continuation of U.S. Application No. 13/349,153, filed on January 12, 2012, now the ’728 Patent, which is a continuation of U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, filed on February 9, 2010, now the ’727 Patent.

1 **4. The '652 Patent**

2 25. The PTO issued the '652 Patent on February 5, 2013.

3 26. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited filed U.S. Application No.
4 13/610,247, which ultimately issued as the '652 Patent, on September 11, 2012.

5 27. U.S. Application No. 13/610,247 is a continuation of U.S. Application No.
6 13/349,153, filed on January 12, 2012, now the '728 Patent, which is a continuation of U.S.
7 Application No. 12/702,889, filed on February 9, 2010, now the '727 Patent.

8 **5. The '560 Patent**

9 28. The PTO issued the '560 Patent on April 30, 2013.

10 29. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited filed U.S. Application No.
11 13/711,329, which ultimately issued as the '560 Patent, on December 11, 2012.

12 30. U.S. Application No. 13/711,329 is a continuation of U.S. Application No.
13 13/623,450, filed on September 20, 2012, now the '920 Patent, which is a continuation of U.S.
14 Application No. 13/349,153, filed on January 12, 2012, now the '728 Patent, which is a
15 continuation of U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, filed on February 9, 2010, now the '727
16 Patent.

17 **6. The '929 Patent**

18 31. The PTO issued the '929 Patent on August 27, 2013.

19 32. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited filed U.S. Application No.
20 13/776,242, which ultimately issued as the '929 Patent, on February 25, 2013.

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22 13/711,329, filed on December 11, 2012, now the '560 Patent, which is a continuation of U.S.
23 Application No. 13/623,450, filed on September 20, 2012, now the '920 Patent, which is a
24 continuation of U.S. Application No. 13/349,153, filed on January 12, 2012, now the '728
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25 *Platelet, Long-chain n-3 Polyunsaturated Fatty Acid Status and Reduces Plasma Triacylglycerol*
26 *Concentrations in British Indo-Asians*, 79 CLINICAL NUTRITION 974-982 (2004) was published in
27 2004 and is prior art to the Asserted Patents.

123. Matak, et al., *Effect of Eicosapentaenoic Acid in Combination with HMG-CoA Reductase Inhibitor on Lipid Metabolism*, 5:1 INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL J. 35-36 (1998) was published in 1998 and is prior art to the Asserted Patents.

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127. Sanders, *Triglyceride-Lowering Effect of Marine Polyunsaturates in Patients with Hypertriglyceridemia*, 5 ARTERIOSCLEROSIS 459-465 (1985) was published in 1985 and is prior art to the Asserted Patents.

C. PROSECUTION HISTORY

1. The '727 Patent

128. On December 8, 2010, before the first office action in U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, Applicants submitted Preliminary Amendment A, amending then pending claims in the application.

129. On April 19, 2011, before the first office action in U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, Applicants submitted Preliminary Amendment B, amending then pending claims in the application.

130. On May 11, 2011, an interview between Applicants' representative and the Examiner was conducted regarding U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

1 131. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Harold Bays, M.D. dated May 18,
2 2011, to support U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

3 132. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Howard Weintraub, M.D. dated
4 May 26, 2011, to support U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

5 133. In a June 20, 2011 Office Action, the Examiner rejected then pending
6 claims of U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

7 134. On June 23, 2011, Applicants submitted a Response to Office Action
8 Dated June 20, 2011, making amendments to then pending claims U.S. Application No.
9 12/702,889 and arguments that the application should be allowed.

10 135. On August 18, 2011, the Examiner issued a Final Rejection of U.S.
11 Application No. 12/702,889, maintaining the prior rejections of then pending claims.

12 136. On September 21, 2011, Applicants filed a Request for Continued
13 Examination and Response to Office Action Dated August 18, 2011, making amendments to
14 then pending claims in U.S. Application No. 12/702,889 and arguments that the application
15 should be allowed.

16 137. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Howard Weintraub, M.D. dated
17 September 19, 2011, to support U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

18 138. On November 4, 2011, the Examiner issued a Non-Final Office Action
19 rejecting then pending claims of U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

20 139. On January 13, 2012, Applicants filed a Response to Non-Final Office
21 Action Dated November 4, 2011, making amendments to then pending claims in U.S.
22 Application No. 12/702,889 and arguments that the application should be allowed.

23 140. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Dr. Philip Lavin dated December
24 16, 2011, to support U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

25 141. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Harold Bays, M.D. dated January 8,
26 2012, to support U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

1 142. On March 2, 2012, the Examiner issued a Non-Final Office Action
2 rejecting then pending claims of U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

3 143. On April 24, 2012, an interview between Applicants' representative and
4 the Examiner was conducted regarding U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

5 144. On May 16, 2012, Applicants filed a Response to Non-Final Office Action
6 Dated March 2, 2012, making amendments to then pending claims in U.S. Application No.
7 12/702,889 and arguments that the application should be allowed.

8 145. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Harold Bays, M.D. dated May 8,
9 2012, to support U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

10 146. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Dr. Philip Lavin dated May 10,
11 2012, to support U.S. Application No. 12/702,889.

12 147. On September 6, 2012, the Examiner issued a Notice of Allowance of U.S.
13 Application No. 12/702,889 accompanied by a Notice of Allowability which included an
14 Examiner's Amendment and an Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

15 **2. The '728 Patent**

16 148. On April 4, 2012, the Examiner issued a Non-Final Office Action
17 rejecting then pending claims of U.S. Application No. 13/349,153.

18 149. On June 27, 2012, Applicants filed a Response to Non-Final Office Action
19 Dated April 4, 2012, making amendments to then pending claims in U.S. Application No.
20 13/349,153 and arguments that the application should be allowed.

21 150. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Harold Bays, M.D. dated May 18,
22 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
23 No. 13/349,153.

24 151. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Harold Bays, M.D. dated June 26,
25 2012, to support U.S. Application No. 13/349,153.

1 152. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Dr. Philip Lavin dated December
2 16, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
3 No. 13/349,153.

4 153. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Dr. Philip Lavin dated May 10,
5 2012, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
6 No. 13/349,153.

7 154. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Howard Weintraub, M.D. dated
8 May 26, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S.
9 Application No. 13/349,153.

10 155. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Howard Weintraub, M.D. dated
11 September 19, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S.
12 Application No. 13/349,153.

13 156. On September 6, 2012, the Examiner issued a Notice of Allowance of U.S.
14 Application No. 13/349,153 accompanied by a Notice of Allowability which included an
15 Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

16 **3. The '715 Patent**

17 157. On February 23, 2012, the Examiner issued a Non-Final Office Action
18 rejecting then pending claims of U.S. Application No. 13/282,145.

19 158. On April 24, 2012, an interview between Applicants' representative and
20 the Examiner was conducted regarding U.S. Application No. 13/282,145.

21 159. On May 16, 2012, Applicants filed a Response to Non-Final Office Action
22 Dated February 23, 2012, making amendments to then pending claims in U.S. Application No.
23 13/282,145 and arguments that the application should be allowed.

24 160. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Dr. Philip Lavin dated December
25 16, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
26 No. 13/282,145.

1 161. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Dr. Philip Lavin dated May 10,
2 2012, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
3 No. 13/282,145.

4 162. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Harold Bays, M.D. dated January 8,
5 2012, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
6 No. 13/282,145.

7 163. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Howard Weintraub, M.D. dated
8 May 26, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S.
9 Application No. 13/282,145.

10 164. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Howard Weintraub, M.D. dated
11 September 19, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S.
12 Application 13/282,145.

13 165. On September 5, 2012, the Examiner issued a Notice of Allowance of U.S.
14 Application No. 13/282,145 accompanied by a Notice of Allowability which included an
15 Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

16 **4. The '677 Patent**

17 166. On November 20, 2012, the Examiner issued a Notice of Allowance of
18 U.S. Application No. 13/608,775 accompanied by a Notice of Allowability which included an
19 Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

20 **5. The '652 Patent**

21 167. On November 21, 2012, the Examiner issued a Notice of Allowance of
22 U.S. Application No. 13/610,247 accompanied by a Notice of Allowability which included an
23 Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

24 **6. The '560 Patent**

25 168. On March 6, 2013, the Examiner issued a Notice of Allowance of U.S.
26 Application No. 13/711,329 accompanied by a Notice of Allowability which included an
27 Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

1 **7. The '929 Patent**

2 169. On May 13, 2013, the Examiner issued a Non-Final Office Action
3 rejecting then pending claims of U.S. Application No. 13/776,242.

4 170. On May 17, 2013, Applicants filed an Amendment in Response to Non-
5 Final Office Action, making amendments to then pending claims in U.S. Application No.
6 13/776,242 and arguments that the application should be allowed.

7 171. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Harold Bays, M.D. dated May 18,
8 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
9 No. 13/776,242.

10 172. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Harold Bays, M.D. dated June 26,
11 2012, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 13/349,153, to support U.S. Application
12 No. 13/776,242.

13 173. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Dr. Philip Lavin dated December
14 16, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
15 No. 13/776,242.

16 174. Applicants submitted a Declaration of Dr. Philip Lavin dated May 10,
17 2012, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S. Application
18 No. 13/776,242.

19 175. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Howard Weintraub, M.D. dated
20 May 26, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S.
21 Application No. 13/776,242.

22 176. Applicants submitted a Declaration by Howard Weintraub, M.D. dated
23 September 19, 2011, originally filed in related U.S. Application No. 12/702,889, to support U.S.
24 Application No. 13/776,242.

25 177. On June 19, 2013, the Examiner issued a Notice of Allowance of U.S.
26 Application No. 13/776,242 accompanied by a Notice of Allowability which included an
27 Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance.

D. DRUG APPLICATIONS

1. AMARIN'S NDA No. 202057

178. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited is the holder of NDA No. 202057.

179. Amarin Pharma, Inc. is Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited's agent for purposes of communication with FDA regarding NDA No. 202057.

180. On July 26, 2012, FDA approved NDA No. 202057 for 1 g icosapent ethyl capsules. The approved indication was "as an adjunct to diet to reduce triglyceride (TG) levels in adult patients with severe (≥ 500 mg/dL) hypertriglyceridemia."

181. On February 16, 2017, FDA approved a supplement to NDA No. 202057 for 500 mg icosapent ethyl capsules.

182. Amarin Pharmaceuticals Ireland Limited and Amarin Pharma, Inc. market the 1 g and 500 mg strengths of the approved drug product under the tradename VASCEPA[®].

2. HIKMA'S ANDA No. 209457

183. On or about July 26, 2016, Hikma Pharmaceuticals PLC and Roxane Laboratories, Inc., through Roxane Laboratories, Inc., submitted to FDA an ANDA (ANDA No. 209457) with paragraph IV certifications under Section 505(j)(2)(A)(vii)(IV) of the FDCA, 21 U.S.C. § 355(j)(2)(A)(vii)(IV), seeking approval to market a generic version of Vascepa[®] (icosapent ethyl) 1 g capsules as Icosapent Ethyl Capsules, 1 gram ("Hikma's ANDA Product").

184. On or about July 26, 2016, Hikma Pharmaceuticals PLC and Roxane Laboratories, Inc., through Roxane Laboratories, Inc., submitted to FDA a proposed labeling for Hikma's ANDA Product bearing revision date of "07/2016," *see, e.g.*, PX 103.

185. Pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 355(j)(2)(B), in a letter dated September 21, 2016, Hikma Pharmaceuticals PLC and Roxane Laboratories, Inc. notified Amarin that they had submitted to FDA ANDA No. 209457, with paragraph IV certifications for the Asserted Patents.

186. On or about December 8, 2016, Roxane Laboratories, Inc. transferred ANDA No. 209457 to West-Ward Pharmaceuticals International Limited.

1 187. On or about December 8, 2016, West-Ward Pharmaceuticals International
2 Limited appointed West-Ward Pharmaceuticals Corp. as its agent for purposes of communication
3 with FDA regarding ANDA No. 209457.

4 188. On or about January 10, 2017, West-Ward Pharmaceuticals International
5 Limited, through West-Ward Pharmaceuticals Corp., submitted to FDA a revised proposed
6 labeling for Hikma's ANDA Product bearing revision date of "12/2016," *see, e.g.*, PX 274; DX
7 1700.

8 189. West-Ward Pharmaceuticals International Limited has changed its name to
9 Hikma Pharmaceuticals International Limited.

10 190. West-Ward Pharmaceuticals Corp. has changed its name to Hikma
11 Pharmaceuticals USA Inc.

12 191. On or about July 8, 2019, Hikma Pharmaceuticals International Limited
13 transferred ANDA No. 209457 to Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA Inc. Hikma Pharmaceuticals
14 USA Inc. is now the owner of ANDA No. 209457.

15 192. On or about December 30, 2019, Hikma Pharmaceuticals USA Inc.
16 submitted to FDA a revised proposed labeling for Hikma's ANDA Product bearing revision date
17 of "12/2019," PX 1203; DX 2256.

18 **3. DRL'S ANDA No. 209499**

19 193. On or about July 26, 2016, DRL, through Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Inc.,
20 submitted to FDA an ANDA (ANDA No. 209499) with paragraph IV certifications under
21 Section 505(j)(2)(A)(vii)(IV) of the FDCA, 21 U.S.C. § 355(j)(2)(A)(vii)(IV), seeking approval
22 to market a generic version of Vascepa[®] (icosapent ethyl) 1 g capsules as Icosapent Ethyl
23 Capsules, 1 gram ("DRL's ANDA Product").

24 194. On or about July 26, 2016, DRL, through Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Inc.,
25 submitted to FDA a proposed labeling for DRL's ANDA Product bearing revision date of
26 "06/2016," *see, e.g.*, PX 69.

1 195. Pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 355(j)(2)(B), in a letter dated September 22, 2016,
2 DRL notified Amarin that it had submitted to FDA ANDA No. 209499, with paragraph IV
3 certifications for the Asserted Patents.

4 196. On or about January 4, 2017, DRL, through Dr. Reddy's Laboratories,
5 Inc., submitted to FDA a revised proposed labeling for DRL's ANDA Product bearing revision
6 date of "01/2017," *see, e.g.*, PX 207.

7 197. On or about July 11, 2018, DRL, through Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Inc.,
8 submitted to FDA a supplement to ANDA No. 209499 with paragraph IV certifications under
9 Section 505(j)(2)(A)(vii)(IV) of the FDCA, 21 U.S.C. § 355(j)(2)(A)(vii)(IV), for 500 mg
10 icosapent ethyl capsules purportedly bioequivalent to VASCEPA[®].

11 198. Pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 355(j)(2)(B), in a letter dated July 11, 2018, DRL
12 notified Amarin that it had submitted to FDA a supplement to ANDA No. 20499, with paragraph
13 IV certifications for the '728, '715, '677, '652, and '929 patents.

14 199. On or about July 23, 2018, DRL, through Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Inc.,
15 submitted to FDA a revised proposed labeling for DRL's ANDA Product bearing revision date
16 of "04/2018," *see, e.g.*, PX 574.

17 **E. DRUG PRODUCTS**

18 **1. VASCEPA[®]**

19 200. VASCEPA[®] is indicated "as an adjunct to diet to reduce triglyceride (TG)
20 levels in adult patients with severe (≥ 500 mg/dL) hypertriglyceridemia."

21 201. The dosage form for VASCEPA[®] 1-gram capsules is a "1-gram amber-
22 colored, oblong, soft-gelatin capsule."

23 202. The daily dose of VASCEPA[®] 1-gram capsules is "4 grams per day taken
24 as . . . two 1-gram capsules twice daily with food."

25 203. The active pharmaceutical ingredient in VASCEPA[®] is icosapent ethyl,
26 which is the ethyl ester of the omega-3 fatty acid, eicosapentaenoic acid ("EPA"). The terms
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1 EPA, EPA-E, eicosapentaenoic acid, icosapent ethyl, ethyl-EPA, eicosapentaenoic acid ethyl
2 ester, ethyl eicosapentaenoate, and ethyl icosapent are used interchangeably in this case.

3 204. VASCEPA[®] contains a “pharmaceutical composition,” as required by
4 Claims 1 and 16 of the ’728 Patent, Claim 14 of the ’715 Patent, Claims 1 and 8 of the ’677
5 Patent, Claim 1 of the ’652 Patent, and Claims 1 and 5 of the ’929 Patent.

6 205. The “pharmaceutical composition” in VASCEPA[®] comprises “at least
7 about 96%, by weight of all fatty acids present, ethyl eicosapentaenoate[,] and substantially no
8 docosahexaenoic acid or its esters,” as required by Claims 1 and 16 of the ’728 Patent, Claims 1
9 and 8 of the ’677 Patent, and Claims 1 and 8 of the ’652 Patent.

10 206. VASCEPA[®] contains a “pharmaceutical composition” “wherein no fatty
11 acid of the pharmaceutical composition, except for ethyl-EPA, comprises more than about 0.6%
12 by weight of all fatty acids combined,” as required by Claim 16 of the ’728 Patent.

13 207. The “pharmaceutical composition” in VASCEPA[®] comprises “at least
14 about 96% by weight, ethyl eicosapentaenoate (ethyl-EPA) and substantially no
15 docosahexaenoic acid (DHA) or its esters,” as required by Claim 14 of the ’715 Patent.

16 208. VASCEPA[®] comprises a “capsule comprising about 900 mg to about 1 g
17 of ethyl eicosapentaenoate and not more than about 3% docosahexaenoic acid or its esters, by
18 weight of total fatty acids present,” as required by Claims 4 and 17 of the ’560 Patent.

19 209. The “pharmaceutical composition” in a daily dose of VASCEPA[®]
20 comprises “about 4 g of ethyl eicosapentaenoate and not more than about 4% docosahexaenoic
21 acid or its esters, by weight of all fatty acids,” as required by Claims 1 and 5 of the ’929 Patent.

22 **2. HIKMA’S ANDA PRODUCT**

23 210. VASCEPA[®] is the Reference Listed Drug (“RLD”) for ANDA No.
24 209457.

25 211. Hikma’s ANDA Product, if approved, will be bioequivalent to
26 VASCEPA[®].

1 212. The indication set forth in the proposed labeling for Hikma's ANDA
2 Product, submitted in connection with ANDA No. 209457, is "as an adjunct to diet to reduce
3 triglyceride (TG) levels in adult patients with severe (≥ 500 mg/dL) hypertriglyceridemia."

4 213. The dosage form of Hikma's ANDA Product, if approved, will be a 1-
5 gram soft-gelatin capsule.

6 214. The daily dose of Hikma's ANDA Product, if approved, will be 4 grams
7 per day taken as two 1-gram capsules twice daily with food.

8 215. Hikma's ANDA Product, if approved, will contain icosapent ethyl.

9 216. Hikma's ANDA Product, if approved, will contain a "pharmaceutical
10 composition," as required by Claims 1 and 16 of the '728 Patent, Claim 14 of the '715 Patent,
11 Claims 1 and 8 of the '677 Patent, Claim 1 of the '652 Patent, and Claims 1 and 5 of the '929
12 Patent.

13 217. The "pharmaceutical composition" in Hikma's ANDA Product, if
14 approved, will comprise "at least about 96%, by weight of all fatty acids present, ethyl
15 eicosapentaenoate[,] and substantially no docosahexaenoic acid or its esters," as required by
16 Claims 1 and 16 of the '728 Patent, Claims 1 and 8 of the '677 Patent, and Claim 1 of the '652
17 Patent.

18 218. Hikma's ANDA Product, if approved, will contain a "pharmaceutical
19 composition" "wherein no fatty acid of the pharmaceutical composition, except for ethyl-EPA,
20 comprises more than about 0.6% by weight of all fatty acids combined," as required by Claim 16
21 of the '728 Patent.

22 219. The "pharmaceutical composition" in Hikma's ANDA Product, if
23 approved, will comprise "at least about 96% by weight, ethyl eicosapentaenoate (ethyl-EPA) and
24 substantially no docosahexaenoic acid (DHA) or its esters," as required by Claim 14 of the '715
25 Patent.

26 220. Hikma's ANDA Product, if approved, will comprise a "capsule
27 comprising about 900 mg to about 1 g of ethyl eicosapentaenoate and not more than about 3%
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1 docosahexaenoic acid or its esters, by weight of total fatty acids present,” as required by Claims
2 4 and 17 of the ’560 Patent.

3 221. The “pharmaceutical composition” in a daily dose of Hikma’s ANDA
4 Product, if approved, will comprise “about 4 g of ethyl eicosapentaenoate and not more than
5 about 4% docosahexaenoic acid or its esters, by weight of all fatty acids,” as required by Claims
6 1 and 5 of the ’929 Patent.

7 **3. DRL’s ANDA PRODUCT**

8 222. VASCEPA[®] is the RLD for ANDA No. 209499.

9 223. DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will be bioequivalent to VASCEPA[®].

10 224. The indication set forth in the proposed labeling for DRL’s ANDA
11 Product, submitted in connection with ANDA No. 209499, is “as an adjunct to diet to reduce
12 triglyceride (TG) levels in adult patients with severe (≥ 500 mg/dL) hypertriglyceridemia.”

13 225. The dosage form of DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will be a 1-gram
14 soft-gelatin capsule.

15 226. The daily dose of DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will be 4 grams per
16 day taken as two 1-gram capsules twice daily with food.

17 227. DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will contain icosapent ethyl.

18 228. DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will contain a “pharmaceutical
19 composition,” as required by Claims 1 and 16 of the ’728 Patent, Claim 14 of the ’715 Patent,
20 Claims 1 and 8 of the ’677 Patent, Claim 1 of the ’652 Patent, and Claims 1 and 5 of the ’929
21 Patent.

22 229. The “pharmaceutical composition” in DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved,
23 will comprise “at least about 96%, by weight of all fatty acids present, ethyl eicosapentaenoate[,]
24 and substantially no docosahexaenoic acid or its esters,” as required by Claims 1 and 16 of the
25 ’728 Patent, Claims 1 and 8 of the ’677 Patent, and Claim 1 of the ’652 Patent.

26 230. DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will contain a “pharmaceutical
27 composition” “wherein no fatty acid of the pharmaceutical composition, except for ethyl-EPA,
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comprises more than about 0.6% by weight of all fatty acids combined,” as required by Claim 16 of the ’728 Patent.

231. The “pharmaceutical composition” in DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will comprise “at least about 96% by weight, ethyl eicosapentaenoate (ethyl-EPA) and substantially no docosahexaenoic acid (DHA) or its esters,” as required by Claim 14 of the ’715 Patent.

232. DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will comprise a capsule comprising 950 mg to 1050 mg of ethyl eicosapentaenoate. DRL will not assert the claim limitation from Claims 4 and 17 of the ’560 Patent that recites a “capsule comprising about 900 mg to about 1 g of ethyl eicosapentaenoate” as a basis for noninfringement of Claims 4 and 17 of the ’560 Patent.

233. DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will comprise “a capsule comprising . . . not more than about 3% docosahexaenoic acid or its esters, by weight of total fatty acids present,” as required by Claims 4 and 17 of the ’560 Patent.

234. The “pharmaceutical composition” in a daily dose of DRL’s ANDA Product, if approved, will comprise “about 4 g of ethyl eicosapentaenoate and not more than about 4% docosahexaenoic acid or its esters, by weight of all fatty acids,” as required by Claims 1 and 5 of the ’929 Patent.

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